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SUBJECT: MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT FROM SULTAN OF OMAN

1. AMBASSADOR HAS RECEIVED LETTER FROM SULTAN QABOOS DATED DECEMBER 8 CONTAINING FOL MESSAGE FOR PRESIDENT FORD:

"MR. PRESIDENT,

WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR KIND MESSAGE RECEIVED ON THE HAPPY OCCASION OF ID AL-ADHA WHICH WE VERY MUSCH APPRECIATE. THE SENTIMENTS EXPRESSED IN YOUR MESSAGE ARE RECIPROCATED AND WE TOO LOOK FORWARD TO THE HISTORIC BONDS OF FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES CONTINING TO EVEN GREATER STRENGTH IN THE FUTURE.

WE TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY OF CONVEYING TO YOU, AND THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, OUR SINCERE GOOD WISHES FOR YOUR FORTHCOMING FESTIVE SEASON AND THE NEW YEAR.

/S/ QABOOS BIN SAID"

2. ORIGINAL BEING POUCHED DEC 15 TO DEPT CARE OF NEA/ARP. WOLLE

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